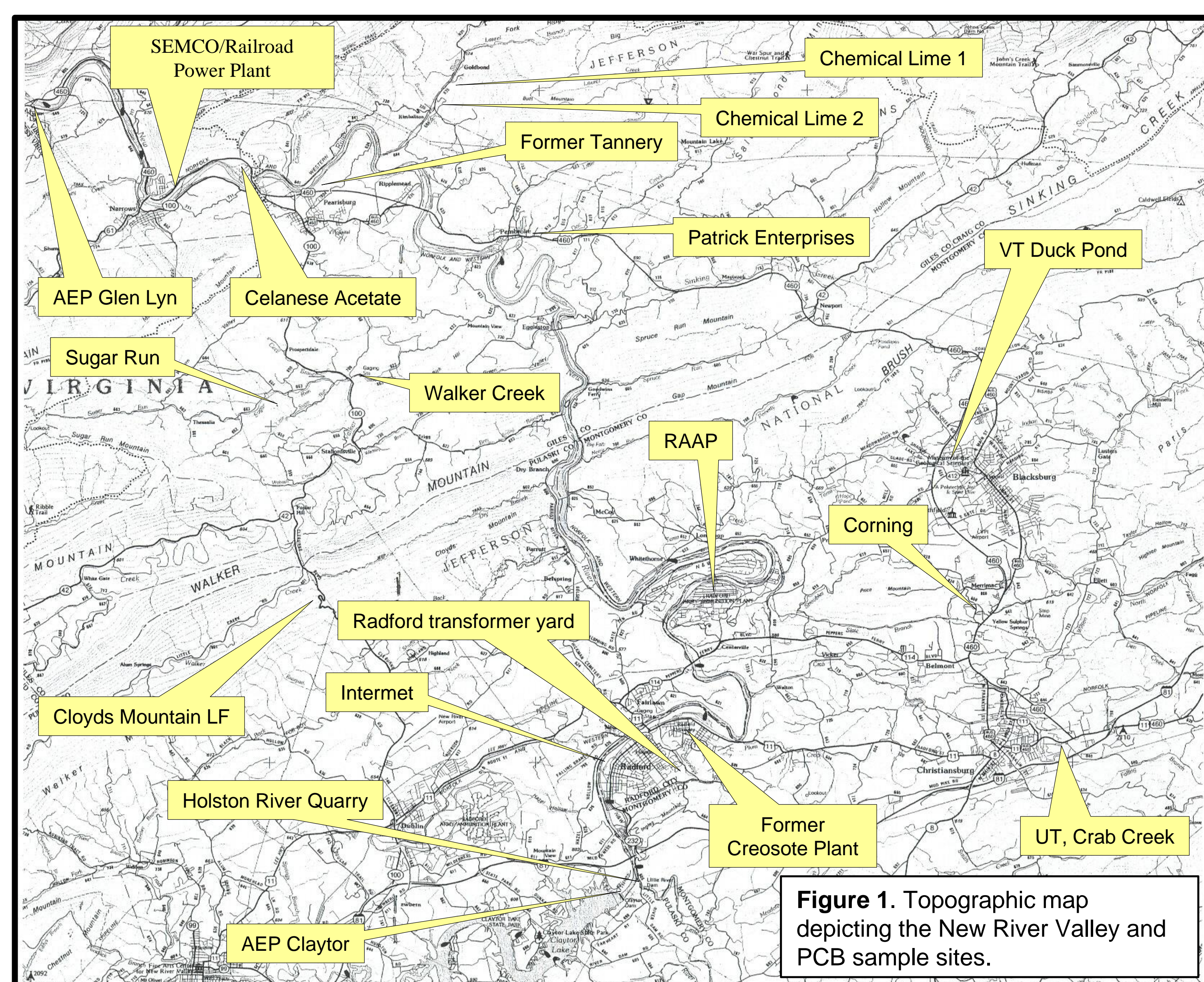
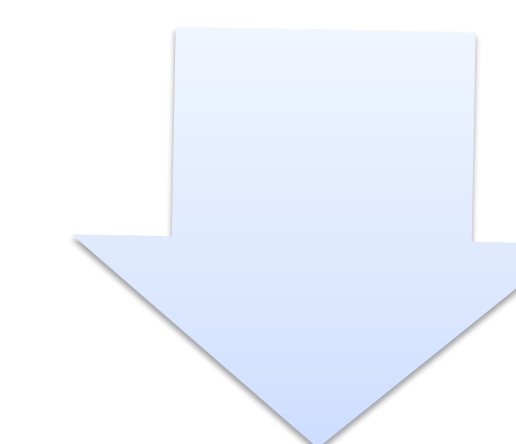


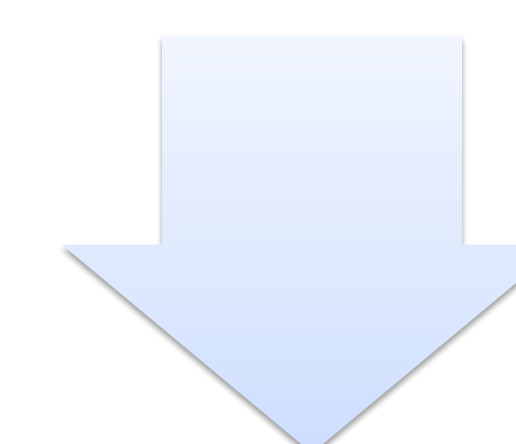
PCBs: 2004 New River PCB Source Investigation Study



Virginia Department of Health issued fish consumption advisory for PCBs in fish. **2001**



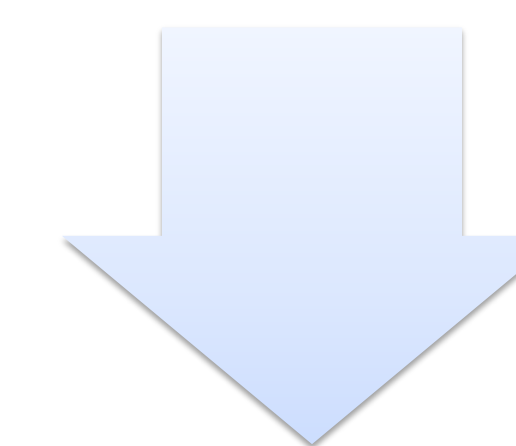
DEQ staff collected fish tissue and sediment samples in the New River and major tributaries. **2002**



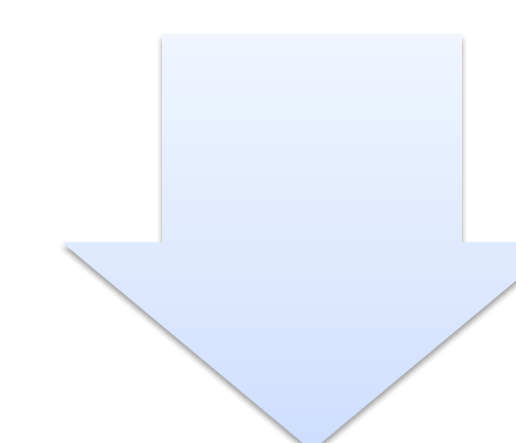
Review file information (internal & external) for possible on-site PCB handling. 1,350 sites



In a multi-stage review process, those 1,350 sites were narrowed to 80 facilities. Surveys were sent to those facilities to determine if PCBs were part of the manufacturing process, stored on site, or disposed of improperly.



Based on survey responses, 52 sites were inspected. Based on the inspections, 47 soil and/or sediment samples were collected at 18 sites. **2003**



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